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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the Patent Application of

Kazuki SUZAWA et al.

Serial No. 09/551,537

Filed: **April 18, 2000**

Group Art Unit: 1744

Examiner: Lawrence D. Ferguson

For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM AND OPTICAL  
RECORDING MEDIUM

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Sir:

This is in full and timely response to the final Office Action mailed March 11, 2002. Reexamination and reconsideration in light of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

**I. Real Party in Interest**

TDK Corporation of Tokyo, Japan ("TDK") is the real parties in interest of the present application. An assignment of all rights in the present application to TDK was executed by the inventors and recorded by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at **reel 010734, frame 0548.**

**II. Related Appeals and Interferences**

There are no related appeals or interferences.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.



No additional fee is required.

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**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

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- ☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached by telephone in our Washington D.C. Office at

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